

1 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

2 DISTRICT OF NEVADA

3 In Re:

4 FIREARMS POLICY


5 SECOND AMENDED
SPECIAL ORDER NO. 95

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7 The Court hereby approves the attached Firearms Policy which authorizes, under certain
8 conditions, agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, agents of the Federal Protective Services,
9 agents of the Secret Service, agents of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms, and agents of the Drug
10 Enforcement Agency, to bring firearms into the federal courthouses in the District of Nevada.

11 ADOPTED BY THE JUDGES OF THIS COURT ON THIS 27th DAY OF NOVEMBER,
12 2000.

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HOWARD D. McKIBBEN
15 Chief United States District Judge

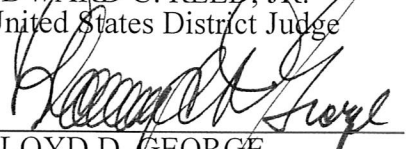
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17 PHILIP M. ORO
United States District Judge

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DAVID W. HAGEN
20 United States District Judge

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22 ROGER L. HUNT
United States District Judge

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KENT J. DAWSON
United States District Judge

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EDWARD C. REED, JR.
United States District Judge

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LLOYD D. GEORGE
United States District Judge

DISTRICT OF NEVADA

FIREARMS POLICY

The district judges for the District of Nevada hereby authorize agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (F.B.I.), agents of the Federal Protective Services (F.P.S.), agents of the Secret Service, agents of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms (A.T.F.), and agents of Drug Enforcement Administration (D.E.A.), to carry firearms into the Federal Courthouses in the District on the following conditions:

Armed agents wishing to enter the courthouse/court building on official business will sign-in and be issued a color coded identification button to be worn on the upper portion of their person. The same procedure will apply to agents escorting prisoners, however, those agents will use an alternative access into the building.

No agent will be allowed to carry a firearm into any courtroom without the specific authorization of the judicial officer presiding in that courtroom. If an agent is given permission by the judge to bring a weapon into a courtroom, the agent must ensure that all Deputy Marshals and Court Security Officers present are aware that he or she is armed.

The Court Security Officers (CSO's) will brief each armed agent on the weapons policy after proper credentials (with a photograph) have been presented and accepted. If CSO's have any doubt about agents the **must** contact the FBI Office or the FPS Office for verification prior to issuing the color coded identification buttons. Additionally, a sign-in and sign-out log will be

permanently maintained at the CSO post to ensure that this policy is being adhered to, and to be reviewed by judicial officers upon request.

At the conclusion of the agent(s) business in the Federal Building/Courthouse, the agent(s) will return to the CSO post to sign-out and return the color coded button.

The color of the buttons will be changed on a monthly basis for security reasons.

No other persons are permitted to bring a weapon of any kind into a Federal Courthouse. Any firearms or other dangerous or deadly weapons carried openly or concealed in violation of this policy and/or Federal Property Management Regulation 41 C.F.R. 101-20.313 shall be subject to confiscation and forfeiture, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 924(d).

If you have any questions or desire additional information regarding this policy, please contact U.S. Marshal Jose Troncoso (702) 388-6356.